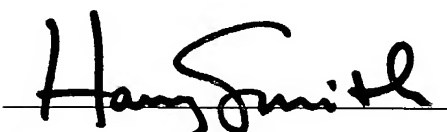


REMARKS

The foregoing amendment merely clarifies the claim language of claims 1-28 and is cosmetic in nature. The amendment also adds new claims 29-36. The amendment was not made for a reason related to patentability, and the full range of equivalents for all of the elements of the amended claim, as well as for all of the other claims, should remain intact.

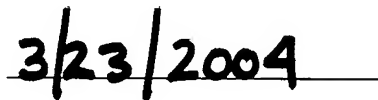
A favorable consideration that results in the allowance of all of the pending claims is earnestly solicited.

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